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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Maser File No. 1:00-1898

In re: Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether
("MTBE") Products Liability Litigation

MDL No. 1358 (SAS)
M21-88

This Document Relates To:

**PROPOSED AGREED ORDER
OF DISMISSAL OF
ASHLAND, INC.**

*Town of Huntington/Dix Hills Water District
v. Amerada Hess Corp., et al.;
City of Glen Cove Water District v. Amerada
Hess Corp., et al.;
Albertson Water District v. Amerada Hess
Corp., et al.;
City of Greenlawn Water District v. Amerada
Hess Corp., et al.*

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure Rule 41(a)(2) and in accordance with the

Tolling Agreement entered by the parties, Plaintiffs in the above-referenced actions and

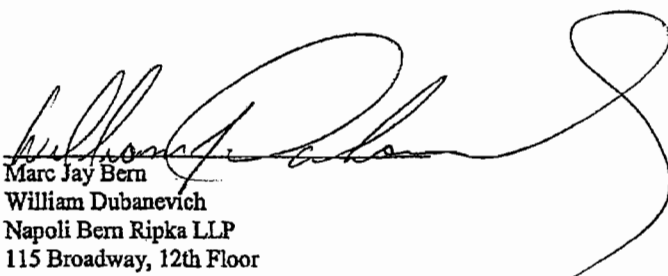
Defendant Ashland Inc. respectfully request that the Court enter this voluntary dismissal.

Plaintiffs and Defendant Ashland Inc. agree to the dismissal and that such dismissal is without
prejudice, with each party to bear its own attorney's fees and costs. Plaintiffs reserve all other
rights as against all other defendants.

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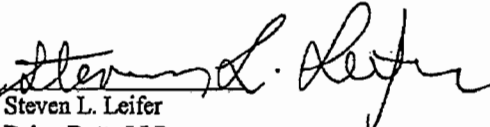
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Dated: New York, New York

SO ORDERED:

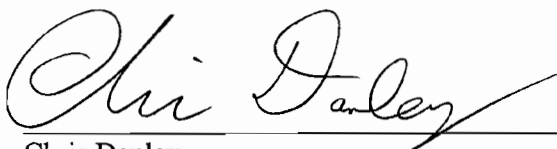
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Schira A. Scheindlin
U.S.D.J.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby declare under perjury of law that a true copy of the foregoing Proposed Agreed Order of Dismissal of Ashland, Inc. was served via e-mail to liaison counsel for Plaintiffs and liaison counsel for Defendants, and via LexisNexis File & Serve on the 25th day of March, 2008.


Chris Danley